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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :
Kazuyoshi TOMINAGA :
Serial No. 10/016,911 : Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: December 13, 2001 :
For: INK JET HEAD, INK JET :
RECORDING APPARATUS, AND :
METHOD FOR REMOVING DUST :
FROM THE INK JET HEAD : Docket No. S004-4494

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COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, DC 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND REQUIRED EXTENSION FEE**

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Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time for filing his declaration and requests that the period for filing his declaration be reset to expire on June 28, 2002. A Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application dated January 28, 2002 gave applicant two months in which to file his declaration, thereby making the declaration due to be filed on March 28, 2002. This is an extension request for filing the declaration within the third month pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

The three-month extension is needed to obtain and file the declaration.

A check in the amount \$920.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the required fee. Should the check prove insufficient for any reason, authorization is hereby given to charge any such insufficiency to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, Washington, DC 20231, on the date indicated below.


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Attorney Name

Signature

June 11, 2002

Date